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In re application of:	Thomas C. McDonald	Examiner:	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Dear Sir: